

Largest Employers in Waushara County.
These employers provide over one half of
all the jobs in the county

Employer Name	Product or Service
County of Waushara	Executive & Legislative Govt. Office
Wautoma Public School	Elementary & Secondary School
Department of Corrections	Correctional Institutions
Milsco Manufacturing	Public Building & Related Furniture
Fleet Guard Inc.	Ind. & Comm. Mach & Equip, NEC
Tri-County Area School	Elementary & Secondary School
Wild Rose Public School	Elementary & Secondary School
The Copps Corp	Grocery Store
Wild Rose Community Memorial	Gen. Med. & Surgical Hospitals
Plainfield Trucking Inc.	Local Trucking Without Storage
Wisconsin Illinois Senior	Skilled Nursing Care Facility
Paramount Farms Inc.	Irish Potatoes
Especially For You Ltd	Wood Products, NEC
Cooperative Care	Individual & Family Social Services
Yellow Thunder Corp	Plumbing & Heating Eqpt & Supplies
Silvercryst Inc.	Eating & Drinking Place
Nordic Hills Inc.	Amusement & Recreation Svcs, NEC
Department of Natural Resources	Admin. of Environmental Programs
Malachi Corp Inc.	Skilled Nursing Care Facility
Heartland House/Preston Place	Residential Care
Shelmet Precision Casting Co. Inc.	Steel Investment Foundries
F & M Bank Northeast	State Commercial Bank
C A Schultz Inc.	Eating & Drinking Place
Lauritzen Inc.	Irish Potatoes
Pamida Inc.	Variety Store
Weiland Trucking Co. Inc.	Local Trucking Without Storage
Condon Oil Co. Inc.	Gasoline Service Station
Rmeal LLC	Eating & Drinking Place
Christianos Pizza LLC	Eating & Drinking Place
Family Health Medical & Dental Ctr	Offices & Clinics of Doctors of Medicine
Waushara Dental Assoc Sc	Offices & Clinics of Dentists
Midwestern Farms Inc.	Crop Prep Svcs For Mkt
Olsen's Mill Inc.	Prepd Feed&Feed Ingrd/Animals & Fowls
Kerschners Gas Service Inc.	Liquefied Petroleum Gas Dealer
Phoenix Coaters LLC	Painting & Paper Hanging

Source: WI DVD, Unemployment Compensation file, March 2003

For more information:

The Dept of Workforce Development-Office of Economic Advisors
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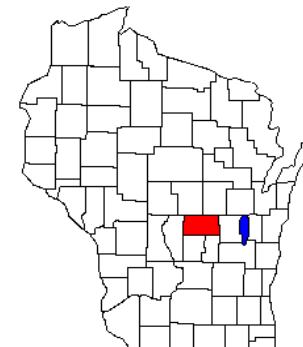
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<http://www.helpbusiness-wi.com>

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LABOR MARKET TRENDS

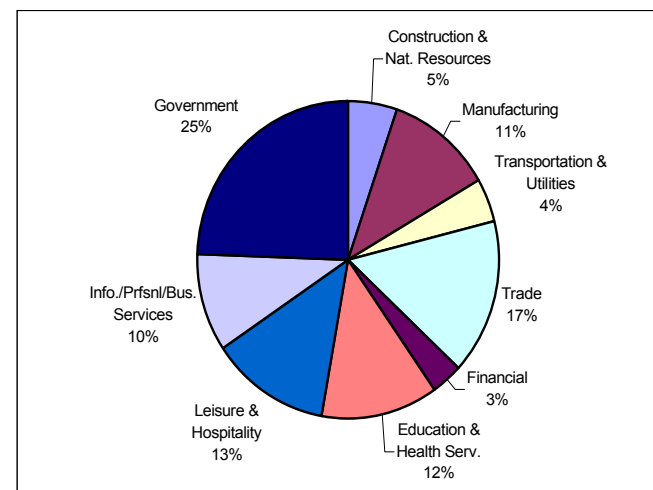


Waushara County...

has a high percentage of its jobs in the government sector. It should be noted that the three largest employers in the county are government. They are Waushara County, Wautoma Public Schools and the Department of Corrections at Red Granite. These jobs add stability to the employment structure. The county also has a high percentage of jobs in the trade sector and the leisure and hospitality industries. Manufacturing in the county is lower than both the state and nation at eleven percent.

Just over 50 percent of the workers live and work in the county. Nearly 4,900 workers commute out of the county to work in the surrounding area. A large number go to Winnebago and Green Lake Counties. At the same time about 3,400 commute into the county for work.

**Employment by Industry
 in Waushara County: 2002**



The average annual wage in 2002 for employees in the larger major industries was: \$27,915 in manufacturing, \$28,226 in public administration, \$21,594 in business and professional services, and \$21,878 in trade, transportation and utilities. The annual average wage for all employees was \$21,376. This was 65.9 percent of the average wage of \$32,422 for all workers in the state.

Occupations in demand in Fox Valley WDA

	Top Ten Occupations	Education & Training Typically Required*	Average Wage**
Fastest Growth	Computer Support Specialists	Associate degree	\$19.11
	Desktop Publishers	Postsecondary voc. trng	\$16.74
	Medical Records/Health Info Techs	Associate degree	\$10.98
	Computer Software Engrs Apps	Bachelor's degree	\$31.19
	Network/Computer Systems Admin	Bachelor's degree	\$25.09
	Personal and Home Care Aides	1-month or less training	\$8.33
	Medical Assts	1-12 mo. on-the-job training	\$11.21
	Network Sysms/Data Comm Anal	Bachelor's degree	\$14.09
	Social/Human Service Assts	1-12 mo. on-the-job training	\$11.62
	Fitness Trainers/Aerobics Instruct	Postsecondary voc. trng	\$9.90
Most Openings	Comb Food Prep/Serv Wrk/Incl Fast	1-month or less training	\$7.37
	Retail Salespersons	1-month or less training	\$10.25
	Cashiers	1-month or less training	\$7.62
	Waiters/Waitresses	1-month or less training	\$6.96
	Registered Nurses	Bachelor's degree	\$20.72
	Labrs/Frght/Stock/Matrl Movers/Hand	1-month or less training	\$9.91
	Janitors/Cleanrs Ex Maids/Hskpng	1-month or less training	\$9.32
	Office Clerks/General	1-month or less training	\$10.62
	Stock Clerks/Order Fillers	1-month or less training	\$9.88
	Nursing Aides/Orderlies/Attendants	1-month or less training	\$9.44

* The most common way to enter the occupation, not the only way

** Wages from Occupation Employment Statistics survey responses for region, 2001

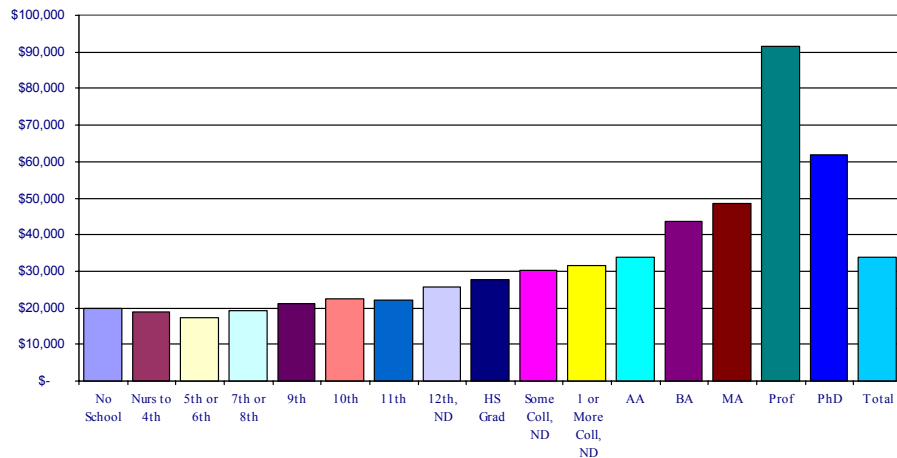
Fox Valley WDA includes Calumet, Fond du Lac, Green Lake, Outagamie,

Waupaca, Waushara and Winnebago counties.

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** OES Fox Valley Area Wage Survey

Wisconsin 1999 Average Annual Earnings by Education



Source: US Census Bureau, Current Population Surveys, March 1998, 1999, 2000

Wages for 40 Occupations with the most workers

in the Waushara County labor market area. Hourly wage data was collected from local employers in 2003 for the year 2002.

Over 40% of all the jobs in the area are in the occupations on this list!

Occupations	Average Hourly	Wage Range Low High	
Bartndrs	6.54	5.42	8.87
Bookkeeping, accounting, & auditing clerks	11.28	6.8	16.08
Carpenters	13.78	9.26	19.05
Cashiers	7.52	5.76	10.37
Combined food prep & serving wrkrs, including fast food	7.45	5.71	9.68
Construction lbrs	16.01	9.37	23.19
Cooks, restaurant	7.58	5.72	10.08
Customer service representatives	12.13	7.28	17.81
Electricians	19.47	12.36	27.35
Elementary school teachers, excpt spec.ed.	\$43,630 Ann. Avg		
Executive secretaries & admin assts	13.23	8.17	19.71
Fire fighters	15.74	6.34	27.43
F-L suprs/mgrs of ofc. & admin suppt wrkrs	18.84	10.42	30.53
F-L suprs/mgrs of production & operating wrkrs	20.28	11.78	31.18
F-L suprs/mgrs of retail sales wrkrs	14.52	7.57	23.58
Food prep wrkrs	7.51	5.96	9.78
General & operations managers	31.66	12.5	55.42
Hlprs--production wrkrs	11.96	7.72	17.13
Ind. truck & tractor oprs	12.6	9.48	16.94
Janitors & clnrs, except maids & housekeeping clnrs	9.45	6.35	14.25
Lbrs & freight, stock, & matl movers, hand	10.45	7.27	15.14
Licensed practical & licensed vocational nurses	14.88	12.08	18.05
Maids & housekeeping clnrs	8.07	6.17	10.18
maint. & repair wrkrs, general	14.43	9.51	20.66
Middle school teachers, excpt spec & voc. ed.	\$41,720 Ann. Avg		
Nursing aides, orderlies, & atndt's	9.66	7.71	12.52
Ofc. clerks, general	9.99	6.36	13.92
Packaging & filling mach. oprs & tndrs	11.96	8.77	15.98
Packers & packagers, hand	9.5	6.13	13.58
Paper goods mach. sttrs, oprs, & tndrs	17.35	12.17	23.43
Registered nurses	23.58	17.12	32.91
Retail salespersons	9.69	6.02	14.21
Secondary school teachers, excpt spec & voc. ed.	\$42,220 Ann. Avg		
Secretaries, except legal, medical, & executive	10.85	7.34	14.88
Stock clerks & order fillers	9.31	6.07	13.5
Teacher assts	\$20,570 Ann. Avg		
Team assemblers	10.81	7.45	14.38
Truck drivers, heavy & tractor-trailer	16.76	10.69	23.88
Truck drivers, light or delivery services	10.38	6.24	15.8
Waiters & waitresses	6.64	5.52	8.59

10% of wages are below and above published wage range. Hourly average not available where annual wages are listed.

Survey includes data from: Adams, Florence, Green Lake, Juneau, Marinette, Marquette, Menominee, Oconto, Portage, Shawano, Waupaca, Waushara, and Wood Counties.